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(57) Abstract: The present invention describes parenteral pharmaceutical compositions comprising a somatostatin analogue and novel somatostatin analogues.

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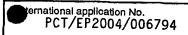
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